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## STORM SWEEPS THE PRESIDENT'S HUNTING GROUND

Fierce Gale Strikes Pasture Reserve Where the Party Is in Search of Game—Tents Are Wrecked but No One Is Injured.

### ROOSEVELT NOW OFF AFTER JACK RABBITS

Daylight Start Made After Nation's Chief and Hunting Guides Partake of a Hasty Breakfast of "Bannock" and Bacon.

LAWTON, O. T., April 10.—A severe windstorm, amounting almost to a gale, swept the pasture reserve last night on which President Roosevelt and his party are hunting jack rabbits and wolves. A number of tents were leveled and considerable damage done, but no person was injured and the plans of the party were not seriously interfered with.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

FREDERICK, O. T., April 10.—With the appetite of a plainsman, President Roosevelt partook of "bannock" and bacon at 5:30 o'clock this morning, and a half hour later was mounted in the saddle prepared to begin his four days' hunt for jack rabbits and wolves.

The President's camp is named Roosevelt, and about 100 yards away 200 troopers from Fort Hill are quartered. They were sent to keep trespassers away from the reservation during Mr. Roosevelt's stay. People here, however, appreciate the fact that the President is here for an outing and are remaining away from the "pasture."

In the hunting party beside the President are Gen. S. M. B. Young, U. S. A., Col. Cecil Lyon of Sherman, Capt. Burk Burnett, Sloan Simpson, Lieut. G. B. Farnes, Dr. Alexander Lambert of New York, J. R. Abernathy of Frederick, and two ranger captains, United States Marshal William Fossett and L. D. Miller, a ranch owner.

### CITIZENS PLAN FOR PRESIDENT'S RETURN.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
JOPLIN, Mo., April 10.—An effort is being made by the citizens along the Santa Fe and Frisco to have the President return to the city on his way back to the East. It is argued that the trip would give the President a chance to see the oil and gas fields of the West, and to lead and zinc regions of Missouri and the picturesque Ozarks. Enough encouragement has been received to believe that the return trip will be made over this route.

### "MYRTLE" ARRESTED, MAY NOT BE HELD

Police Can't Find Victim Robbed of \$385, Who Has Left Hotel.

The St. Louis police have been advised that Myrtle Golden, who is said to be the woman who, in the afternoon of March 21, robbed Charles Hoffner of \$385 and a bank deposit book in a house at 902 Walnut street, was arrested in Chicago Saturday night.

It is therefore evident, as was suspected, that she availed herself of the opportunity offered by six days of police delay and got out of town with the money.

She was released by the Chicago police when the St. Louis police had to admit that they had lost Hoffner. Hoffner was stopping at the Erie House. He remained there five or six days after he had reported the robbery to the police, waiting in vain for them to take up the investigation. It is said at the Erie House that she has left the city through fear that somebody will see the rest of his money.

Without Hoffner, it is impossible for the police to secure any identification of Myrtle Golden as the woman who robbed him, and, therefore, it is probable that she will escape prosecution.

### THUNDERSTORMS; COOLER

Umbrellas in Order According to Forecaster, Who Sees Rain and Lightning.

It may be just as well for every one to take an umbrella along throughout today. The prediction also is for electrical disturbances of a mild springtime character.

The official forecast: "Showers and thunderstorms and cooler tonight. Tuesday, showers and cooler. Winds shifting to high northerly."

South of the Missouri valley and east of the Mississippi river warmer weather prevails. It is generally fair and warmer throughout the West. An area of high pressure prevails over the Northwest, with low pressure covering a belt from Colorado to northern Illinois, and it is expected that this storm area will be forced eastward, causing thunderstorms and rain.

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## SUNDAY BAN NOW ON CANDY, GUM AND SODA WATER

Stewart Tells Police Chief His Duty Is Plain, and Declares Closing Will Be Strictly Enforced Next Sunday.

### MULVIHILL TOO BUSY IN COURT TO DISCUSS LAW

Kiely Says Drug Stores Can Sell Only Absolutely Necessary Articles—Barber Shops to Close, and Billiards and Pool to Stop.

President Stewart of the Board of Police Commissioners Monday announced that the law against dramshops doing business on Sunday would be enforced from this time forward.

He made a similar announcement about the enforcement of the other Sunday-closing laws as they relate to barber shops, the display of goods for sale and other matters. The announcement was made after an interview of an hour and one-half with Chief of Police Kiely, during which time the president of the board expounded for the benefit of the chief the law upon the Sunday-closing subject.

When the interview was ended, President Stewart said: "There is a law against dramshop keepers keeping their places open on Sunday. All those who were open yesterday will be reported to the excise commissioner. I do not suppose the excise commissioner will go to the extreme of revoking the licenses of those who violated the law yesterday, but if they violate it again he will revoke their licenses and in addition they will be arrested by the police and prosecuted before a court."

"Nobody Has a Pull."

"This does not mean that they will be taken to Lyon or to the quarter and permitted, after furnishing bond, to return to their places of business and open up again. They will be arrested just as often as they open, be that 100 times. We mean business. There will be no exceptions. Nobody has a pull, nobody is big enough to escape. The biggest will be hit first, but this does not mean that the little fellows will be overlooked."

"This is no religious crusade; it is merely an enforcement of the law. There are other general statutes in regard to Sabbath observance. The law against barber shops and other places of business remaining open on Sunday will be enforced thoroughly and fully. The law against exposing goods for sale on Sunday will be similarly enforced. The law against horse racing, card playing and dramshops will be enforced, and druggists and grocers and other places selling liquor contrary to law will be prosecuted. This is not a crusade against one class, but against all who violate the law by all classes. The statute creating the Board of Police Commissioners and defining the duties of the board is the law by which all classes are properly and equally punished. It expressly mentions the Sunday law."

"Mr. Mulvihill is trying a law case and probably will not be here today," was the answer given to a score of questions among them a number of saloon keepers, anxious to know about the proposed Sunday closing order, who called at the office of the excise commissioner Monday morning.

Inquiry by a Post-Dispatch reporter met with the same answer. Mulvihill could discuss the question of Sunday closing, the commissioner's clerk ventured the statement that their knowledge of the matter was confined solely to what they had read in the newspapers.

Mr. Mulvihill was found in division No. 4 of the St. Louis Circuit Court, where he was engaged with his partner, Attorney Ernest Dodge, representing the defense in the case of Robert Cody against a \$5000 damage claim.

Mr. Mulvihill was asked if he could spare a minute to discuss the question of Sunday closing.

"Not now," he said, "I am too busy with this case."

"When will you be at leisure?"

"I can't say. Those who called at the commissioner's office today were desirous of knowing the proposed Sunday closing order, and would apply to restaurants having dramshop connections."

In St. Louis, Chief Kiely said, after the interview with President Stewart:

"To the very best of my ability, I am going to enforce the Sunday closing laws. This law is a good one, and it will be enforced without discrimination."

"Not only will saloons be closed, but all places of business that are not open to the safety and health of the public will be closed. Drug stores, of course, can keep open for the sale of drugs and medicines; but the sale of unnecessary articles, such as soda water, candy and chewing gum, will not be permitted. Games of chance, billiards, pool, bowling and all card games will be stopped. This does not apply to baseball. The Supreme court has decided that baseball is a sport and an exercise that does not violate the Sunday law."

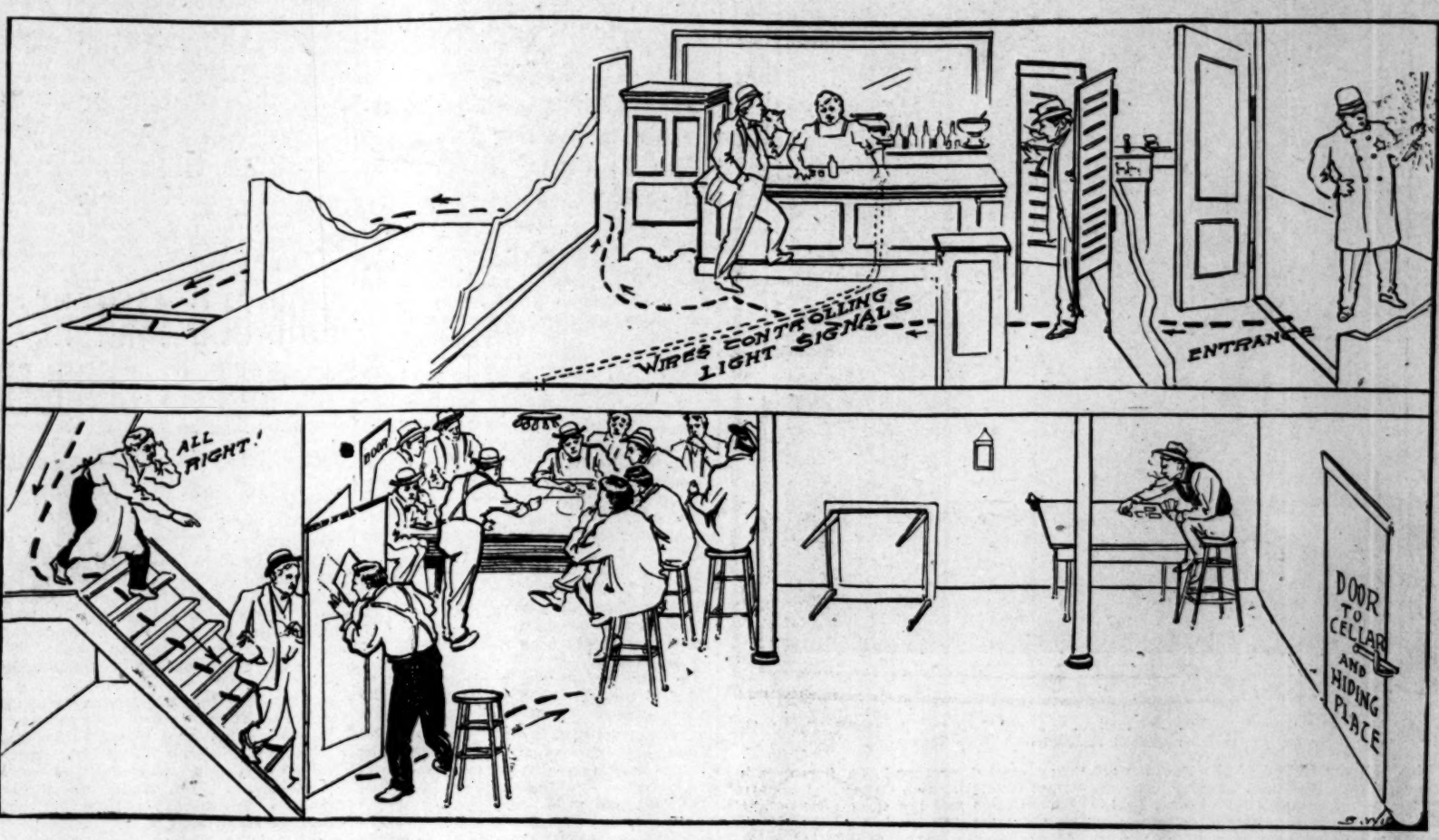
"There is a class of people who observe Saturday as their Sabbath. These people, who, as a rule, conduct second-hand clothing stores and shops of that kind, have the right to keep open for business on Sunday; they will not be interfered with."

"Reports of saloons that were open yesterday will be submitted this afternoon to the excise commissioner."

**MINISTERS FIND 3 OUT OF 50 SALOONS CLOSED.**

Rev. Samuel L. Lindsay, state superintendent of the Missouri Anti-Saloon League, is one who was ready Monday to testify that it was not very dry in St. Louis Sunday.

## GAMBLING Room Underground at Seventh and Morgan



SECTIONAL VIEW OF ZOLEZZI'S SALOON, SHOWING UNDERGROUND GAMBLING

"Haven't Been Raided in Six Months," Says the Bartender, and, "Sunday Night Is Gamblers' Night—No Raids Then."

Our gamblers are quieter now than they were. Since Kiely has put on the lid; No wide-open games have created a stir. Since Kiely has put on the lid. But under the lid it is terribly hot. And whether the chief is "wise to it" or not. There's a heap of excitement inside of the pot. Though Kiely has put on the lid.

The big underground craps game at Zolezzi's saloon, northeast corner of Seventh and Morgan streets, which was exposed by the Post-Dispatch several months ago, is again running full blast and the proprietors boast they have not been raided for six months.

Two Post-Dispatch reporters went to Zolezzi's for the purpose of investigation last night.

They arrived at the corner in front of the saloon at 10:27 o'clock. Morgan street was wide-awake. An electric street light flooded four corners with light and there was a constant passing of pedestrians on both sides of the street. Several men stood talking in a little group in front of the saloon as the reporters passed in.

Zolezzi's bar is a long narrow room. Entering from the Morgan street side a person passes inner doors a few feet from the entrance. The bar is on the right or east side of the room.

There is not five feet of space between the bar and a big music box against the wall near the southwest corner of the room. A big ice-chest stands five feet from the north end of the room. Back of this ice-chest a door in the north wall is partly visible from the lower end of the bar.

A well-built, good-natured bartender was serving drinks. Two or three men were amusing themselves with the music box and one man who had just entered from the door in the north wall was counting a roll of bills on the bar.

An invitation to the bartender to join in a drink was accepted and started a conversation.

"Craps?" he inquired.

"Yes," returned the reporter.

"Oh, I see. Well, we have one of the best games here that there is in town," remarked the bartender, proudly.

"They have a good game downstairs every night in the week. There ain't much more than a dozen down there now because there was a big game last night and most of the bunch are tired."

"Big down Saturday night, eh?"

"Yes, but you fellows can get a good roll for your money if you want to take a little whirl. It's a 'fad' game and you can bet what you please. I don't think it will be strong tonight."

**Sunday Gamblers' Night.**

"How about the police?" the bartender was asked. "Is there any chance for a raid?"

The bartender smiled in a kindly pity.

"This place has been running for 15 years and hasn't been raided in six months. And this is Sunday! Why, there's no more chance of a raid Sunday night than a peanut. Sunday night is 'gamblers' night.' No dump is ever pinched on Sunday night."

"Besides," he added, with an air of finality, "if they did raid the place I would simply touch my little button here and throw the lights off and on once down in the basement. That's the signal; and the boys will be playing pitch and pool by the time the cops get in. They've got to catch you in the act or they haven't got any evidence."

The bartender led the way to the door behind the icebox. They passed along a narrow passage which ran a few feet east and turned north. Then they turned west into another passage and could see the

## GETS DIVORCE FROM "SPIRITUAL PHONE."

William M. Alford Alleged That Wife Kept Home in State of Disturbance.

In a written opinion Monday morning, Judge Daniel Taylor of division No. 2 of the Circuit court granted the petition of William M. Alford, who brought suit for divorce against his wife, Melvina A. Alford March 19, charging her with being a fortune teller and with keeping her home at 4134 Green Lea place in a state of disturbance by her devotion to occult sciences.

The hearing closed March 25, and since then Judge Taylor has had the case under advisement. In contesting the suit, Mrs. Alford declared on the witness stand that she was not a fortune teller, but a spiritualist; that she simply acted as a spiritual telephone between living beings and the spiritual world.

Immediately after the decision was awarded this morning, Mrs. Alford, through her attorney, J. B. Dempsey, filed a petition suit for the property at the above address, which, she says, is owned jointly by her husband and herself.

She alleges that the property was bought May 1, 1901, for \$1500, and that her husband paid only \$300 in cash and the balance in notes. Mrs. Alford states that since May 3, 1903, she has paid the notes, and also for necessary repairs to the house.

In the petition, Mrs. Alford asks for an order of sale of the property and asks that the money she contributed to the cost of the property be returned to her. She also asks for the divorce suit to be taken from the sum received by the sale be equally divided between herself and her husband.

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## YOU WANT TO WED? SEE MAN AGED 78

St. Louis Recorder's Father Is Appointed Marriage License Clerk by His Son.

Paul Young, Sr., father of the recorder of deeds, Paul Young, Jr., was Monday appointed marriage license clerk to succeed the late Patrick M. McDermott.

Aloys P. Holmbach was named as his assistant.

Mr. Young is probably the oldest marriage license clerk that ever served in St. Louis. He is 78 years old, and May 6 next will celebrate his golden wedding at his home, 6221 Minnesota avenue.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes.

"First in everything."

## TODAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF

MRS. AGNES KLEINBUHLER of 1023 Lynch street exhibits black eye in Police court as proof of attack, and man who says she hit first is fined \$5.

DR. JOHN D. PFISTER, who lives near Creve Coeur postoffice in St. Louis County, Sunday evening, while driving along lonely road, encountered aged man, who he positive is William Burdick, who disappeared last Tuesday.

MAYOR OF BEAUDETTE, MINN., is assassinated by mob from Spooner after enforcing laws against vice.

ENGINEER CORCORAN, aged 2, falls from second-story window of his home, playing while mother sleeps, and is little hurt.

PAUL YOUNG, JR., aged 78, appointed marriage license clerk of St. Louis by his son, Recorder, Paul Young, Jr.

CITY LIGHTING DEPARTMENT worked all day Sunday removing Union-Electric

## JAPS BADLY WORSTED IN SEA BATTLE, IT IS REPORTED

Hong Kong Hears That Japanese Admiral Has Been Defeated by the Russian Commander and Five of His Vessels Sunk.

### SCENE OF THE BATTLE IS NORTHEAST OF SINGAPORE

First Tidings Conveyed to Chinese City by Incoming Vessels—Details and Confirmation Are Still Lacking.

### KIRIN IS MIKADO'S ARMY'S NEXT POINT OF ATTACK

Oku Heads Important Turning Movement in Easterly Direction—Chinese Bandits Under Jap Officers Are Moving on Tatsaikar.

### HONG KONG, April 10.—

6:30—A report has reached here, brought by incoming vessels, that the fleets of Admirals Togo and Rojestvensky clashed in a fierce battle 200 miles northeast of Singapore this morning, and that the Japanese were badly worsted, Admiral Togo losing five of his vessels. Details are entirely lacking and so far the report is quite without confirmation.

TOKYO, April 10.—No attempt is being made by the officials of the Japanese war department to disguise the fact that they are wholly in the dark as to the whereabouts and the intentions of Admiral Rojestvensky and the Russian squadron.

It is the general belief that the Russian admiral does not desire an immediate battle. It is figured that he may endeavor to reach Vladivostok, where there are docks and shops; may seize a base; or may have a rendezvous already selected on an island somewhere in the Pacific, and that he will speedily quit the China sea and go eastward of the Philippines to this island.

The last heard of Admiral Togo was that four Japanese warships were patrolling the sea course off Cape St. James, near Haigou, by which Rojestvensky would have to come north.

According to the last reports the Russian fleet was at anchor off the islands, 150 miles northeast of Singapore.

## WILL NOT ABOLISH BRIDGE ARBITRARY

Report That C. & E. I. Would Kill \$5 Car Rate Denied by the Frisco.

An Associated Press dispatch from Chicago announced Monday that the Chicago & Eastern Illinois Railroad would hereafter absorb the terminal charges across the bridges at St. Louis on all freight carried over its road, thus amounting to a reduction of 35 per cent in rates to St. Louis and thus eliminating the "bridge arbitrary" added to freight rates to East St. Louis on all shipments to St. Louis.

It was stated that by the new plan the freight rate to East St. Louis would carry all shipments over the Chicago & Eastern Illinois to St. Louis without extra charge, and that this action of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois had been taken without the consent of competing lines, and would probably precipitate a rate war that would lead to a general break-up in western rail rates on competing traffic.

At the office of the general freight agent of the Frisco system in St. Louis it was stated that there was to be no absorption of the terminal charges across the bridges at St. Louis by the Chicago & Eastern Illinois, which is part of the Frisco system. The report from Chicago, it was explained, must have been caused by a misunderstanding, probably based upon the fact that a change was recently made by which, on shipments over the Chicago & Eastern Illinois to all northeastern points, the switching charges of 10 per cent at St. Louis were to be absorbed. This change was already gone into effect.

### New \$140,000 Plov Warehouse.

The John Deere Plow Co. applied Monday afternoon for a permit to build a new warehouse at a cost of \$140,000, on the corner of 14th and Main streets.

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### FRIDAY, DAY OF PRAYER.

Observance by King's Daughters and Sons Throughout World.

The King's Daughters and Sons throughout the United States will observe Friday, April 14, as a day of prayer. The members of the St. Louis Union will meet by invitation with the members of the League at the home of Mrs. McCandless, 337 Westminister place, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Members who are unable to attend the prayer meeting will observe the day in their homes or at their work. Prayer will be offered especially for a great spiritual awakening in the order in St. Louis and throughout the world.

### WIFE MURDERER IS EXECUTED.

Martin Ebelts Pays Penalty for Killing Life Partner in a Fit of Jealousy.

OSSINING, N. Y., April 10.—Martin Ebelts, who strangled his wife with a shoestring because he was jealous, was executed here today. Mrs. Ebelts was only 19 years old. Her husband induced her to accompany him to a lonely spot in Mount Vernon by telling her that he wished to introduce her to a person who would give her a position, killed her and threw her body into a sewer. The crime was committed July 24, 1903.

## Tot at Play While Mother Sleeps Falls From Second-Story Window; Little Hurt



EUGENE CORCORAN.

Eugene Corcoran, Aged 2, Only Scolds When Neighbor Picks Him Up From Pavement.

When Eugene Corcoran, 21 months old, fell from a second-story window at his home to a paved alley 20 feet below, he felt badly enough about it for a moment to cry. But he changed his mind.

Eugene lives with his mother, Mrs. Hannah Corcoran, on the second floor of 1025 North Eighth street. Mrs. Corcoran left him sleeping in one room Sunday evening while she took a nap in another room.

Eugene awoke and climbed on a table flush with the window sill to take a look around. He found some knives and forks and crockery there and amused himself by throwing them out into the alley. Then he took a notion to do a gymnastic turn on the window sill.

When Mrs. Jennie Murphy, who lives downstairs, came into the alley she saw Eugene lying on his stomach on the window sill kicking his heels over the alley.

In the instant that she turned to call for help the child lost his hold and tumbled down to the alley.

Mrs. Murphy caught him up and carried him into her room and sent the children up to wake Mrs. Corcoran.

Mrs. Corcoran, not doubting that Eugene was dead, ran downstairs. She found Eugene sitting in Mrs. Murphy's lap. He felt insulted and was getting his mother ready to cry, but at the sight of his mother decided not to.

Mrs. Murphy caught him up and ran with him to the drug store at Ninth and Carr streets. Dr. M. L. De Vorkin was there and he took the mother and child to his office. Eugene had nothing to show for his adventure but a scratch or two, but there was a possibility that his brain had received a jolt and he and his mother were sent to the City Hospital.

Stayed there with him Monday and he was quite ready for another adventure.

"Boro-Formalin" (Elmer & Amend), as an antiseptic, cleansing mouth and tooth wash, is unsurpassed.

SHOVE BREAKS \$300 WINDOW.

It was an expensive shove which Miss Nellie Oliver gave her sister-in-law, Mrs. Elsie Woods, early Monday morning.

Woods fell against a \$300 plate glass window with such force that it was broken into a thousand pieces.

Nellie Oliver is 17 and Mrs. Woods is 23. They both live at 918 North Third street. They were passing the May, Stern & Co. store, the southeast corner of Twelfth and Olive streets, at 8:45 o'clock.

Mrs. Woods lunched against Miss Oliver and the latter gave her a shove which caused her to fall against the window. It gave way and fell with a loud crash.

Sergeant Nolte was near enough to hear it and he arrested the women and they were locked up in the holdover. The charge against them is malicious destruction of property.

Every Girl Loves a Diamond.

Save a Diamond, win a heart. Immediate delivery of the Diamond on credit. No security. Visit the Diamond store in town. Loftis Bros., 21 N. 3d St.

Wouldn't Treat Assaulted.

J. F. Oberholzer, aged 56, of 206 South Twelfth street, is at the City Hospital with cuts and bruises as a result of an attack by an unidentified man at Twelfth and Papin streets early Sunday morning.

Oberholzer's assailant approached him at Twelfth street and demanded a drink. Oberholzer refused and was assaulted.

The advertisers in the Want Ad columns didn't "put it off until tomorrow." What they want they want today, and not tomorrow. Now, and not tomorrow, is the time for you to see what they want. Turn to the want pages.

Money Awaits Missing Soldier.

Chief of Police Kiehl has been asked to find Henry F. Duane, formerly a sergeant of Company H, Fifth Infantry, who was discharged at Pittsburg, Mo., in 1901. A large sum of money awaits him at Washington, and it is thought he is in business either in St. Louis or East St. Louis.

French Lick & West Baden Sleeper.

Every Friday night, via B. & O. S. W.

Busch Automobile Damaged.

The automobile owned by Adolphus Busch, which was struck by an eastbound Olive street car at 10 o'clock Sunday night in front of 293 Olive street, was damaged \$20. It was not occupied by any member of the Busch family. Carl Nickel of 4277 Page boulevard was the chauffeur.

DAILY PULLMAN TOURIST CAR.

Via Missouri Pacific Railway. For San Francisco, leaves St. Louis at 10:10 p. m. Special reduced rates. City Ticket Office, southeast corner Sixth and Olive streets.

Missionary Society to Meet.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Congregational churches of Missouri will be held Tuesday and Wednesday in Pilgrimage Church, Twenty-ninth street and Washington avenue. Sessions will be held morning, afternoon and evening Tuesday, but only in the morning and afternoon Wednesday.

Extremely Low Rates to the Southeast.

On April 4 and 18 round trip tickets will be on sale from St. Louis and surrounding territory to points in Georgia and Tennessee, limited to 21 days, good for stopovers, at much less than the one-way rate. For particulars address Ernest G. Woodward, T. P. A., N. C. & St. L. Railway, 407 Bank of Commerce building, St. Louis.

Oldest Ticket Agent Ill.

Mal W. H. Fox, the oldest ticket agent at Union Station, is in a critical condition at the St. Mary's Hospital as the result of a chill two days after being operated on for pneumonia. He is 73 years of age and has been in the railroad business in St. Louis for over fifty years.

OSTERS. "Pine" Selects, 2c a dozen. Milford's Restaurant, 20 N. Sixth street.

### BURNED SAVING WOMEN'S HOME

Manager of Institution Snatches Blazing Curtains From Window.

Miss Lulu Mackey, manager of the Working Women's Home at 1418 Locust street, has severe burns on her hands and arms as the result of her successful efforts to extinguish a blaze in the curtains at a front window of the home Sunday night. She found the curtains burning when she entered the sitting room of the home and immediately tore them from their fastenings and beat out the flames. How they caught fire is not known.

An alarm was turned in, but the fire was out when the firemen arrived. Miss Mackey will recover.

### Indigestion?

I Offer All Stomach Sufferers a Full Dollar's Worth of My Remedy Free to Try.

I can afford to offer a full dollar's worth free because mine is no ordinary remedy. Ordinary remedies treat symptoms. My remedy treats the cause that produces the symptoms. Symptom treatment must be kept up forever—as long as the cause is there. My treatment may be stopped as soon as it has removed the cause, for that is always the end of trouble.

Stomach trouble is not really a sickness, but a symptom. It is a symptom that a certain set of nerves is ailing. Not the voluntary nerves that enable you to walk and talk and act—but the automatic stomach nerves over which your mind has no control.

I have not room here to explain how these tender, tiny nerves control and operate the stomach. How worry breaks them down and causes indigestion. How misuse wears them out and causes dyspepsia. How neglect may bring on kidney, heart, and other troubles through sympathy. I have not room to explain how these nerves may be reached and strengthened and vitalized and made well by a remedy I spent 30 years in perfecting—now known by druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. I have not room to explain how this remedy, by removing the cause, puts a certain end to indigestion, belching, heartburn, flatulency, nervousness, dyspepsia. All of these things are fully explained in the book I will send you when you write.

In more than a million homes my remedy is known. It has cured stomach troubles not once, but repeatedly—over and over again. Yet you may not have heard of it or hearing may have been delayed or doubted. So I make this offer to you, a stranger, that every possible excuse for doubt may be removed. Send me no money—make me no promise—take no risk. Simply write and ask. If you have not tried my remedy, I will send you an order on your druggist for a full dollar bottle—not a sample, but the regular standard bottle, he keeps constantly on his shelves. The druggist will require no conditions. He will accept my order cheerfully as though your order had come from him. He will send the bill to me.

Will you keep this offer in mind to learn at my expense absolutely how to be rid forever of all forms of stomach trouble—to be rid not only of the trouble, but of the very cause which produced it? Write today.

For a free order for a full dollar bottle, you must address Dr. Shoop, Box A 688, Racine, Wis., State which book you want.

Book 1 on Dyspepsia. Book 2 on the Heart. Book 3 on the Kidneys. Book 4 for Women. Book 5 for Men. Book 6 on Rheumatism.

Mild cases are often cured by a single bottle. For sale at forty thousand drug stores.

### Dr. Shoop's Restorative

### \$125,000 APARTMENT HOUSE.

Bachelor Quarters to Be Built at Delmar and King's Highway.

Construction of a three-story bachelor apartment house to cost \$125,000 has begun at King's highway and Delmar boulevard. The building, of which H. F. Roach is the architect, will be 140 feet square, and in the style of the French renaissance of Louis XIV. Brown brick, laid with white horizontal and brown perpendicular joints, will form the outer walls. The trimmings will be of white terra cotta. Ten stories will be on the first floor; the two upper floors will have eighteen apartments in suites of two and three rooms with bath and buffet. The house is being built for the Delmar Avenue Realty Co.

The Cincinnati trains, via Big Four, leave St. Louis morning, noon and night.

Paraded With Fire Extinguisher.

Edward Wilson, aged 20, a machinist of 517 La Salle street, is locked up in the holdover. He was arrested by Officer Steivison of the Central district at Broadway and Gratiot street, Sunday morning, while parading the street with an automatic fire extinguisher, supposed at the time to be an infernal machine of some kind. Wilson acknowledged to the police that he took it from the F. Meyrose Manufacturing Co. of 731 South Fourth street.

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Tonight 8:15  
Kirk, Leshell's big production of "Hear"  
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This Week—A Grand Production of "THE HOLY CITY."

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25c Mat. Escaped From Sing Sing.  
Today  
Next Monday Matinee—"Over the Hills and Far Away."

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ODEON—Tonight  
8:15, 11:00, 11:30 and 12:00.  
11:30 Odeon Mat. Address with others 8 p. m.

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A FAMOUS REMEDY WHICH HAS BEEN FAVORABLY KNOWN FOR NEARLY FORTY YEARS, IN THE CURE OF THE DISEASES OF

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Is not a "patent medicine" but a PROVED prescription of a graduate Physician who early made the diseases of women his specialty.

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Will hereafter have the ingredients in plain English on every bottle that leaves the laboratory. Made entirely of medicinal flowering plants, this prescription of Dr. Pierce does not contain a particle of alcohol or injurious drugs.

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Until April 15 we have decided to make our new whalebone plates with best teeth for \$3.00—do not cover roof of mouth.  
Guaranteed to bite corn off the cob. No 30 years guarantee.  
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## A WOMAN'S ORDEAL

### DREADS DOCTOR'S QUESTIONS

Thousands Write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., and Receive Valuable Advice Absolutely Confidential and Free

There can be no more terrible ordeal to a delicate, sensitive, refined woman than to be obliged to answer certain questions in regard to her private life, even when those questions are asked by her family physician, and many

Mrs. T.C. Willadsen

continue to suffer rather than submit to examinations which so many physicians propose in order to intelligently treat the disease; and this is the reason why so many physicians fail to cure female disease.

This is also the reason why thousands upon thousands of women are corresponding with Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. To her they can confide every detail of their illness, and from her great knowledge, obtained from years of experience in treating female ills, Mrs. Pinkham can advise women more wisely than the local physician.

Read how Mrs. Pinkham helped Mrs. T. C. Willadsen, of Manning, Ia. She writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham—  
I can truly say that you have saved my life, and I cannot express my gratitude in words. Before I wrote to you telling you how I felt, I had doctored for over two years steadily, and spent lots of money in medicines besides, but it all failed to me any good. I had female trouble and would daily have fainting spells, backache, bearing-down pains, and my monthly periods were very irregular and finally ceased. I wrote to you for your advice and received a letter full of instructions just what to do, and also commenced to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I have been restored to perfect health. Had it not been for you I would have been in my grave today.

Mountains of proof establish the fact that no medicine in the world equals Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for restoring women's health.

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### Five Great Specials

(Main Floor.)  
As an inducement to have you visit us Tuesday, we offer five great specials, each item being about half the regular price.

Children's Handkerchiefs, 25c kind; each, only.....1c  
100 dozen Ladies' and Men's Handkerchiefs; worth fully 10c; each, only.....5c  
15 pieces White and Fancy Silk; 25c kind.....15c  
100 pieces Printed Lawns; all colors; large variety of patterns; 10c and 12 1/2c value—the.....5c  
yard, only.....10c  
100 pieces Lace and Embroideries, 20c and 25c value.....10c  
Tuesday only, the yard.....10c

### Closing Out Wall Paper

200,000 rolls of fine Glimmer Papers, with 9 and 18 inch borders, to match worth 10c per roll; closing out at.....3c  
25,000 rolls fine Gold Papers, worth 10c per roll; closing out.....5c

### Six Big Basement Specials

Lawns  
100 pieces of 8 1/2c quality light and dark colored lawn, Tuesday in basement, a yard.....4 1/2c  
Pants  
Ladies' lace trimmed pants, well worth 50c, will go in our basement.....15c  
Colored Petticoats  
SPECIAL—Your choice of a lot of Colored Petticoats, with accordion-pleated flounce, in basement.....39c  
Muslin  
1500 yards of 36-inch bleached muslin, good as Fruit of the Loom, until sold for.....5c  
Calicoes  
6c quality Calico in dark and light colors for.....2 1/2c  
Curtain Scrim  
36-inch wide white, fancy stripe Scrim, regular value, 12 1/2c; in basement.....5c











# CITY TEARS DOWN POLES ON SUNDAY

Supervisor of Lighting Plans  
Game on Union Power Com-  
pany on Morgan Street.

## TO PREVENT INJUNCTION

Between Vandeventer and Sarah  
Residents Wonder at Rush  
of Work.

Monday morning the last of 20 immense poles on the north side of Morgan street, between Vandeventer and Sarah streets, which the Union Electric Light and Power Co. erected more than a year ago on an agreement that they were to be used for temporary World's Fair purposes, were removed by a force of city lighting department laborers.

Twelve of the poles were taken down Sunday; seven of the remaining ones were taken down quickly Monday morning; the last, a giant timber at Morgan and Sarah streets, not particularly deep and braced to bear the strain of the cables at the turn into the Suburban right of way, was removed shortly after 10 o'clock.

Sunday was chosen as the day for the work in order that the lighting company might not be able to prevent the removal by means of an injunction. It was said Monday morning that the company did not know the work was being done until it was completed.

The 20 poles carried six one-inch cables, used for the transmission of light and power currents. These cables were cut early Sunday morning and carried away by Lighting Supervisor Carter. Mr. Carter provided against interference on the part of the company by notifying Capt. Gaffney of the Ninth district of his intention and securing police protection. Patrolman Brennan was assigned to duty during the day; at midnight Policeman Fowler relieved him and remained on duty until the work was completed.

Residents of the neighborhood, who thought the work was being done by the lighting company, were greatly incensed as they sat on their front porches and lawns and watched the operations of the laborers. They proclaimed openly that it was shameful to violate the Sabbath by the performance of work that could as well be done on a week day. They know nothing of the injunction-dodging feature of the work, and were not told.

Supervisor Carter says the lighting company has been notified several times, following protests of residents, that the World's Fair is ended and that the emergency which led to the issuance of the permit for the erection of the poles was passed. The company has been notified to remove the poles and wires, but paid no attention to the notices, according to Carter. Therefore the department decided to do the work itself.

# IN SIGN LANGUAGE THEY WOODED AND WERE MARRIED



JOSIE RUTH SHOUP

A boy and girl romance which began while the principals were attending the Illinois School for the Deaf and Dumb at Springfield, Ill., 15 years ago, culminated Sunday afternoon in the wedding of Hugo B. Browning, of 445 Columbia avenue, East St. Louis, and Miss Josie Ruth Shoup, of 1247 North Broadway.

Rev. C. M. Davis of Christ Church Cathedral performed the ceremony through an interpreter, Miss Pearl Herdman of 2006 Virginia avenue.

Since leaving school seven years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Browning have corresponded, and when she came to visit her sister last autumn the courtship began at school in sign language was renewed.

The bride attracted much attention at the ceremony, which was held at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Edward Orcutt, of 1247 North Broadway.

Mr. Browning is a cabinet maker and the son of a Methodist minister. Rev. M. L. Browning of St. Louis.

They will live in East St. Louis.

# "WIFE REFUSED HIM MEDICINE WHEN ILL"

Divorce Plaintiff Says He Was  
Barred From Table After 29  
Years Married.

After more than 29 years of married life James A. Glover seeks a separation from Eliza A. Glover, who resides at 233 Hodiama avenue, Canada, Jan. 25, 1878, and separated Feb. 18, 1905.

Glover alleges that his wife tried to influence their children against him by saying that he was "no good" and that she did not want him around; that she refused to allow him to eat at the table with her; that latterly she declined to prepare food for him; that on one occasion she snatched his plate away from him in the presence of guests and would not let him complete his meal; that he became ill May 10, 1931, and that his wife refused to call a physician or allow any other member of the family to do so; that she would give him neither food nor medicine; that after he emerged from a hospital, after remaining there six weeks, she would not wash his clothes; that he was compelled to wash them himself, and that after he had cleaned them and hung them out to dry, she tore them from the line and threw them down in the dirt.

# BLACK EYE HER PROOF OF FIGHT

Man Fined \$25 for Striking Woman  
an Tending Saloon, Said  
She Hit First.

Mrs. Agnes Kleinebuehl's story and the black eye she submitted as evidence in court, earned for Joseph Bowler a \$25 fine in the City Hall Police court Monday.

Mrs. Kleinebuehl was in charge of her husband's saloon at 1028 Lynch street Sunday morning, when Bowler came in for two "cans" of beer. He and some men in the barroom quarreled, and Mrs. Kleinebuehl ordered him to leave. She testified that he struck her in the eye, and that he hit her in the mouth before he hit back. He could not show any scars or bruises which Judge Tracy thought would necessarily have lingered after blows from Mrs. Kleinebuehl, and the fine was imposed.

The business man who has a "head to contrive" will need "hands to execute." If you can keep another pair of hands at work, let a Post-Dispatch want ad find them for you. Advertisers are agents for the Post-Dispatch.

# NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Features of the Deciding Contest  
Between the Browns and Cardinals  
as Seen by a Post-Dispatch Cartoonist



# BROWNS NOW CHAMPS, EARNING TITLE IN LONG HAIR-RAISING GAME

Cardinals Held Last Struggle Safe Apparently, but American  
Leaguers Got Busy in the Ninth and Ham-  
mered Out a Well-Won Victory.

It is the ninth of the final game. For nine innings the Cardinals, victorious and exultant, have led with a margin of runs that gives them a safe hold on the battle and the championship of St. Louis.

Nichols smiles confidently as he throws his heavy sweater over and goes in to pitch the ninth inning. He has had the Browns at his mercy for eight innings, and with a lead of 6 runs to 2 he is safe.

Jones picks up his bat and walks to the plate. So far he has not hit the ball safely, but the second one pitched meets his bat and goes to right for a single. Little Gleason goes to first on balls and the hopes of the Browns rooters rise a little, but that awful lead chills.

"They can never do it," is the sad verdict.

Padden goes out on a little grounder, and when Sugden pops up a little fly there is a general movement to leave the park. Moran steps up to bat for Glade. It is an Irishman in a pinch, and he drives the ball into center field, while Jones comes in.

But they cannot win. Two are out and there is still a lead of three runs. Stone has not hit safely once and "George, it is up to you," sweeps out at him from 20,000 "cheats."

Stone lines the ball into center field, another run comes in, and then with the suddenness of a summer storm, Nichols is caught by an avalanche of hits and washed out of the box as a force hose flushes a gutter.

Van Zant's Third Hit.

Van Zant drives his third hit to right field and Moran scores. Six to 2. No man in the great audience that rings the field is in his seat. There are no distinct cheers excepting the frenzied yell, "Frisk! Frisk!" but one long pulsating wave of heavy sound rolls over the diamond.

It does not diminish when Frisk faces the pitcher and grows if possible a little denser when the lanky coast fielder lifts the ball over Nichols' head and back of the field. By Brooklyn—A. O. Gordon to Atlanta, Ga.

Terms accepted—By Boston—Terms of Jacob Volz.

# FLASHLIGHTS.

A few of those ninth inning garrison flashes like that of Sunday, when the real season opens, and the Browns would not have the copper-riveted clinch on the flag they had last year.

When Jack Chesbro goes up against Harry Howell, the New Yorker may be sorry he ever invented the spit ball.

Eastern turf authorities have taken steps to stamp out the messenger boy even in the grandstands of racetracks which will put a stop to women betting. It is thought, however, that the female gamblers will discover a plan to get the customary "50 cents each way, please" down as usual.

Charles Cochran, the manager of Hackenschmidt, the Russian Lion, is as clever a press agent as there is in the country. Perhaps that will explain his long delay in permitting his man to make a match with Jenkins for the world's championship on the mat at catch-as-catch-can style. While Mr. Cochran was hesitating, the New York papers were growing more insistent that the match be made, until about ten columns a day were being hurled at the English manager of the Russian wrestler.

If Senator Somebodyorother's speech comes true and the Japs try to land on the United States after they get through with the Japs.

McCoy and O'Brien are to try it all over again. Police!

Agile to Ram's Horn—Fraidy cat, 'frisky cat!

Bowker "may" visit America, after all. Important if true.

Anson says he is going to stick close to the office of city clerk. "Don't want them to spring any political spitballs on me," qualifies the old man.

J. White and J. Britt are not kicking up much of interest in their contemplated clash on the coast.

"If I wanted to fake I could be a millionaire today," recently asserted George Hackenschmidt, the leonine Russ. This is stealing some of Bob Fitzsimmons' thunder.

The trouble with little Willie Hoppe appears to be too much father.

Young Corbett? Yes, we recall the name—was once a fighter.

But Masterson asserts that New Yorkers carry too many guns. Too many for who?

# AMATEUR BASEBALL.

The Chouteaus defeated the Louises by the score of 14 to 12, and the winners would like to hear from all teams playing in the 12-year-old class. Address: R. H. Rosen, 4232 St. Ferdinand avenue.

The Horseshoe Juniors defeated the Anchors Sunday by the score of 18 to 17.

The Anacostas would like to arrange games with out-of-town teams. Address: J. C. Walsh, 4258A St. Ferdinand avenue.

The Fauna would like to arrange for a game for Sunday, April 16. Address: N. Dolin, 4100 Junata street.

The Melvins defeated the Royals yesterday by the score of 16 to 7. The feature of the game was the brilliant pitching of the Melvins, who won by the score of 8 to 2.

The Emeralds of K. F. M. were defeated by the American Juniors at Forest Park Sunday by the score of 6 to 0.

The Forest Citys were returned victors over the B. P. Sunday in a one-sided game by the score of 22 to 1. The feature of the game was the pitching of O'Connell, who struck out 15 men and letting the B. P. down with but two hits. For games with the Forest Citys, address: R. McGraw, 3007A Magazine street.

The Usonas would like to hear from all local and out-of-town teams. Address: A. J. Schoone, 19 South Spring avenue.

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## RAIDED, THEY FLED DOWN FIRE ESCAPE CRITIC METCALFE'S COMING TO ST. LOUIS

Oxford Hotel Occupants Tried to Elude Police, Who Took 40 Men and Women.

The Oxford Hotel at Seventh and St. Charles streets was raided at 9:30 o'clock Sunday night by Policemen Mahan, Hagman and Dunham and 20 men and 20 women found in the house were arrested. Two men tried to escape from the hotel by descending the fire escape. The fire escape did not reach quite to the street and they hesitated about dropping to the sidewalk.

The 40 prisoners were taken to the Four Courts, where the men were released and the women held. They were subsequently released on their own recognizance to appear in the City Hall Police Court Monday morning, but when the case was called none put in an appearance.

The clerk of the Oxford Hotel, Edward Campbell, was charged with keeping an improper place and his case was continued to April 14. The proprietor, Charles H. Hollingsworth, could not be found when the raid was made.

Complaints against the Oxford Hotel have been made by proprietors of department stores and other business houses in the neighborhood on the ground that their female employees had to pass the place in going to and returning from their work and the raid was made because of these complaints. It attracted a large crowd and many of the women arrested were weeping as they were placed in the patrol wagons.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes.

Life's Trust-Proscribed Writer Will Speak Before the Contemporary Club.

James S. Metcalfe, the trust-proscribed dramatic critic of Life, a weekly magazine published in New York, will address the St. Louis Contemporary Club Thursday night of this week, and will be the guest of members of the club and their friends at dinner at the Washington Hotel. Mrs. Metcalfe will accompany her husband.

Metcalfe rather bounded into national prominence some weeks ago when the association managers of New York, representing 45 New York playhouses, voted to bar him from their theaters. The managers have always contended that they placed Metcalfe under the ban because of his anti-Semitic attitude toward certain members of the association—meaning Klaw and Erlanger, the head of the theatrical syndicate. Metcalfe, on the other hand, has insisted that their strictures and condemnations were without racial animus and due solely to their dislike of the theatrical syndicate's unfair and art-crippling methods.

Mr. E. S. Willard and Hofmann-Kreisler Tonight.

Tonight will be notable in the local amusement world, theatrically and musically. E. S. Willard, the Mansfield of England in versatility and one of the most finished players upon the English-speaking stage, will appear in a new play, "The Checkers," at the Olympic Theater, after an absence from St. Louis of two years. He will open with "The Checkers," by the Admiral.

Togo of Colloquial Comedy. In the East they have observed that Henry M. Blossom, Jr., the St. Louis playwright, resembles a Japanese admiral. Accepting the observation, we may easily style him Admiral Togo of colloquial comedy, for there is not on the stage another colloquial comedy which ranks with Mr. Blossom's "Checkers." It sweeps the character seas as clean as Togo sweeps the seas of the East.

There is nothing new about the play which came to the Century Theater last night except that it is wonderfully good. It is worth seeing over and over again if it is to be understood that rather headlong phase of American life which it reflects. "Checkers" is now, as always, the best-acted of the plays of its tenor. Thomas Rose, who plays the title part, is too good ever to be duplicated in that character. There are moments of restraint about his best and Willie Collier at his fanciest. Miss Katherine Mulkin, who plays the part of the girl who is in love with the hero, is one of the best of the girls upon the stage. If she has an equal in naturalness in girl parts it is in Miss Rose, who was here with Robert Edison.

There are other good people, as there always are, in "Checkers." In fact they are just about the same people we have been seeing—David Brahman, Charles Willard, Lydia Dickson, Harriet Worthington, and the whittier who laughs like a walrus.

D. L. Don, Pianist, and the Closed Season for Pianolas.

"The Royal Chef" returned to the new Garrick yesterday afternoon and better entertainment than it was when it was here four weeks ago. The new production is a poor comedy really can spoil the broth was never better proven than by a comparison of this show place. It is today and the same production as it was when it was first seen in St. Louis. Dave Lewis, from whom a wine sauce could not have squeezed an ounce of fun, was the chef of the piece then, and D. L. Don, by nature most fertile in comedy, is the chef today.

The result is that "The Royal Chef" becomes an amusing and quite enjoyable piece. With such materials as they have, Don and Stella Dacey, Anne Dale, William Seely and Henry Leone, all clever people, make a good deal. Don seasons the broth wonderfully. Wizard, though, with his quick winking he covers a multitude of musical shortcomings which were glaringly apparent before his veiling humor enveloped the piece. He is the Faderewski of comedy, and if there were nothing else in the performance than his short, crisp round with the piano, it would be going to work. The privilege of having Don and Josef Hofmann in town is a privilege indeed. It is the closed season for pianolas.

The company is otherwise pretty much the same as it was when Miss Anne Dale, a fine-looking young woman with a pretty soprano voice and an engaging stage personality, has succeeded in playing the part of Princess Toto. Harry Leone remains the Bubu Brummel of Rajahs, and is exhibiting the spry styles on the late of Oolong.

Billy B. Van and His Big Professional Moment.

The big professional moment in the career of Billy B. Van came about 8:30 o'clock last night, when he stepped out upon the stage at the Grand Opera House and discovered, somewhat to his surprise, that about two thousand one hundred people were in their seats on him.

It would test the courage of Richard Mansfield to face single-handed, an audience of such enormous proportions, but it was infinitely more terrifying to Billy, who was so much of a professional, perfectly well that the three hours of nonsense that he was selling, the people would be fatal if he people did not happen to be in a mood for that sort of thing.

Stout-hearted enough, he proceeded to his of his own, and he had to have won by a larger score, for "The Errand Boy" has scarcely any rating among the musical shows beyond being, admittedly, the noisiest of them. There are some of these as there are moments when Billy Van, acting very much as though he were a clown, makes the audience laugh spasmodically. Though it is felt quite as foolish as Billy.

For a non-disappearing act of musical piece Billy wins all the medals. The piece of the hour-long show is on the stage, by the watch, 150 minutes.

"Midnight in New York," a melodrama featuring the Brooklyn Bridge and the Subway in its scenery, opened at the New York Theater Sunday. The chief players are Jack Champion, Frederick Hargrave, Leo Corrigan and Miss Dorothea. A duel in the Subway gives the play its thrilling moments.

As Thomas Meek in "Der Jongleur," Gus the Olympic Theater last night. The play was capitally rendered by the German stock company and all the good funmakers, especially Director Heilmann, came in for large doses of applause. The music of the farce, especially arranged by Director Rautenberg, was unusually pleasing, and made of the offering almost a musical comedy. Next night Marie Wilhelm, an excellent character woman and comedienne will take her benefit with the farce, "The Doppelgänger," a fine French comedy adapted for the stage. Marie Wilhelm will have an opportunity to show herself at her best.

Dominick Murray's melodrama, "Escaped from Sing Sing," opened well at the Imperial Theater Sunday. The story opens in England, and tells of a young English farmer, married to a married and unprincipled woman, who for reasons of policy sends the

## BUSCH AUTO WENT TOO FAST

Chauffeur, Demonstrating Its Speed, Was Arrested on Washington Bl.

A big automobile owned by Adolphus Busch, containing the chauffeur and seven other persons, was tearing along Washington boulevard at Whittier street Saturday evening at the rate of, it is said, 45 miles an hour, when Mounted Patrolmen Cooley and Stinger, drivers of the police auto, interfered and arrested William Smythe, the chauffeur.

Smythe was arraigned in the City Hall Police Court Monday morning. He said that Mr. Busch had sent the machine, a 30-horse-power automobile, back to the company by which he (Smythe) is employed, with the complaint that it would not work. With the machine was a representative of Mr. Busch. Smythe took the automobile to the party that it was in good condition, and consequently turned it loose.

The policemen testified that the machine was making 45 miles an hour.

## ARREST IN FIRST DAY'S AUTO HUNT

County Sheriff Declares He Will Patrol All Roads Sundays for Unlicensed Machines.

One arrest is the result of the first hunt by St. Louis County sheriffs for unlicensed automobiles.

Sheriff Herpel had deputies patrolling all roads leading from the city into the county Sunday. He announced that deputies would be stationed along the roads each Sunday hereafter, with instructions to arrest all chauffeurs who have no licenses for the machines they are running.

J. Thomas, a local street, who had taken a party of friends to Clayton, was the only man arrested. He admitted running without a license when questioned by Sheriff Herpel. He immediately gave bond for his appearance for trial before Justice Stevens in Mablewood Wednesday.

## CRAZY QUILT CUPID'S AGENT

Kentuckian Saw Marvel of Piece Work at World's Fair and Wedding Follows.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. MADISON, Ind., April 10.—Richard Wilson, aged 22, of Paducah, Ky., saw at the St. Louis World's Fair a quilt with 128-216 pieces made by Miss Lou Singer, aged 47, of Milton, Ky. He began correspondence with her and they were married at her home.

marriage, and, with the aid of an unscrupulous criminal lawyer, accuses and convicts her husband of forgery. The remaining acts take place in America. The woman and the lawyer continue their career of villainy, but are tracked from place to place by the husband, who is known as an English outlaw, named English Bill. The man is again falsely accused and with a companion is sent to Sing Sing prison, from which they escape by tunneling to the river. The scenic effects are interesting, especially that presenting the escape from prison and the Hudson river by moonlight. Frederick Montague plays Richard Farney, alias English Bill, and essays seven disguises during the action of the play, all of which he does well, being a character actor of ability.

There are plenty of thrills, a lot of comedy and some unusually good acting in "The Factory Girl," which begins a week's engagement at Havlin's Sunday afternoon. Leon Hascall, playing the part of Charles Wilde, the disinterested friend of the hero and heroine and the very much interested enemy of the villain, shows ability. Guy Hawson and Marion Hyde furnished most of the comedy in a manner highly satisfactory to the audience. Miss Ella Cameron had opportunities to show strength in several of her situations as Sallie French, the designing forewoman, and took advantage of them. Hatch Remick, a child actress, indicated the possession of unusual talents, which experience and better opportunity will develop. The company is a large one, and the people in the minor parts are well handled.

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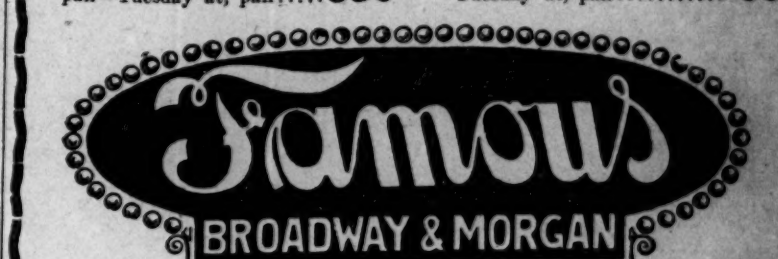
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